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CONSOLIDATION.

Ancient Order of Hibernians to
Vote Upon An Important
Proposition.

Result Will Be Announced at a
General Meeting to Be
Held in January.

A Committee Appointed to Ar-
range for the Observance of
St. Patrick's Day.

FRANK CUNNINGHAM MADE CHAIRMAN

During the past six months there has been a growing sentiment among the members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of Louisville that a consolidation of the various divisions into one strong body would be the means of inducing more persons to join the order, and also reduce the expenses incidental to the carrying on of the great work for which the society is organized.

In this city there are now five divisions, besides the Ladies' Auxiliary and the Hibernian Knights. Among the divisions some are in a very flourishing condition, financially and numerically, while the membership of at least one, and possibly two, has fallen off to quite an extent during the past year, and how to strengthen them has been a troublesome problem. Able arguments have been made pro and con, and the matter was finally brought before the County Board, which subsequently appointed a committee to consider the matter and report what they thought the best plan to pursue.

County President Murphy called a special meeting of the County Board last Monday night to consider the report of the committee, which recommended consolidation, the manner and time to be determined at a general meeting to be held in January.

The observance of St. Patrick's day was also brought before the board, as there is an almost unanimous feeling that it should be celebrated on a more elaborate scale than for several years past. As March 17 falls on Saturday it was decided to hold the celebration on the following day, Sunday. Upon motion the President was instructed to appoint an executive committee of five to make the necessary arrangements. President Murphy appointed Messrs. Frank Cunningham, John Grogan, N. J. Sheridan, John Mulloy and John Keane as such committee, which was subsequently organized with the following officers:

Chairman—Frank Cunningham.
Secretary—John Grogan.
Treasurer—John Mulloy.
It is the intention of the committee to make arrangements as soon as possible for the presentation of some one of the standard old time Irish plays, which will be produced at either the Temple Theater or Macaulay's. The committee have resolved to spare neither labor nor expense to make it a success. A number of pleasing and appropriate numbers will also be presented between the acts.
There will be a meeting of the full committee at Hibernian hall next Wednesday evening, when sub-committees will be appointed and work begun in real earnest.

TALLON AND REDMOND

Both Expressed Doubt of An
American-Anglo
Alliance.

Daniel Tallon, Lord Mayor of Dublin, and John E. Redmond, M. P., sailed from New York for home last Saturday on the Cunard line steamer Campania. They took back with them about \$50,000 in American money, which will be used in saving Parnell's house and in erecting a monument to him in Dublin.

The party arrived at the Cunard dock about an hour before the Campania sailed, and the time was spent in bidding farewell to their many friends. The reception they received was marked by great enthusiasm, and it was not until the big liner had pulled away out into the stream that the cheering ceased.

Both the Lord Mayor and Mr. Redmond spoke of the present situation in England before sailing. Mr. Redmond said:

"There is nothing that I can say on the war in South Africa that I have not already said. The whole affair is infamous. And as to the report that there is an alliance between England, America and Germany, I believe that is false. America is not so foolish."

The Lord Mayor said:
"I do not believe that there is an alliance between this country and England. You are not foolish. England hates republics, and once before when she was on the back of the United States you threw her off. Don't let her get there again. I believe that you will refuse to pull her chestnuts out of the fire. Let her burn her own fingers. I am sorry to leave this country, for I have had a delightful time while here."

C. K. AND L. A.

One of the most prosperous branches of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America is James Branch, located in

Paducah. It has done perhaps more charitable and benevolent work than any other society in that city, and includes in its membership many of the leading people of that town.

An interesting and largely attended meeting was held last week, at which resolutions of sympathy were adopted for Mr. and Mrs. Langston and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Baker, from whose homes death had taken daughters, a little girl and young lady respectively.

Jansen Branch owes much of its success to the progressive spirit and enterprise of Mrs. John J. Dorian, Mrs. Eugene Geary, Mrs. Maggie Creery and Miss Ellen Donigan, the efficient Secretary, whose labors for the good of its members are untiring.

FRIENDS SURPRISED.

Miss Lillie Hutti and Theodore
Schene United in
Marriage.

A wedding that was a pleasing surprise to their host of friends was that of Miss Lillie Hutti and Theodore Schene, which occurred last Friday evening, Rev. Father Cunningham, who is a warm personal friend of the groom, tying the nuptial knot. The happy bride is the attractive and accomplished daughter of Philip Hutti, the well-known Walnut-street grocer. Since her debut she has been very popular in West End social circles, her charming manner and winsome disposition making her a pronounced favorite. She has been a devoted member of St. Mary's church since her girlhood, and was one of the most zealous workers in Father Westerman's congregation. Mr. Schene is a prominent young man in business and social circles and is held in the highest esteem by all who know him. He is associated with his uncle, Fred Indroth, on West Broadway. The young people had been sweethearts for some time, but their marriage was not expected to take place till spring, and the ending of their courtship was thus not looked for. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate friends of both parties. They are now at home at the residence of the parents of the bride, 1300 West Walnut street, where they are receiving the congratulations of their many relatives and acquaintances. May their journey through life be a happy and successful one.

TRINITY COUNCIL.

The Officers Elected for Next
Year After a Spirited
Contest.

Trinity Council held its annual election of officers last Monday evening, in which great interest had been manifested in East End circles for several weeks. The races for the various offices were rather spirited, though in all cases friendly, and for some several ballots had to be taken before the credentials could be issued. The council now numbers over two hundred members, all of whom are hard workers for the Young Men's Institute. The successful candidates will be installed at the first meeting in January, as follows:

Chaplain—Rev. A. J. O'Grady.
President—John J. Sullivan.
First Vice President—David O'Connell.
Second Vice President—William N. Gast.
Recording Secretary—Henry F. Stoerr.
Financial Secretary—Joseph S. Piazza.
Corresponding Secretary—Tom J. Garvey.
Treasurer—A. B. Wiedekamp.
Marshal—Maurice Danaher.
Inside Sentinel—Joseph Hukensbeck.
Outside Sentinel—Philip Kalthenthaler.
Executive Committee—Adam Schneider, Ben Hund, Harry Kirchdorfer, William Rittman and Frank Ackerman.

President Sullivan's friends were highly elated over his election and predict the most successful and progressive administration in the history of Trinity. David O'Connell and William Gast will prove able lieutenants, and the new officers will endeavor to have the membership as large as that of Mackin Council before their terms expire. Six candidates were initiated and six additional applications received. The session was a long one and much important business remains to be transacted. The council now meets regularly in Casino Hall, on East Gray street.

HOLY CROSS CHURCH.

During the past month Rev. Father Cunningham has had extensive repairs made to Holy Cross church, West Broadway, until it now has the appearance of a new edifice. The sanctuary, which has been repainted and furnished, is one of the most really handsome ones in the city, being entirely in white. These improvements are due to the proceeds of the lawn fete and the earnest work of the zealous pastor, and are evidences that a new era of prosperity has set in in the West End.

CONTEST DECIDED.

The contest over the will of the late Richard Gavin has been decided in favor of Mrs. Katie Davern, Mrs. Julia Farrell, Mrs. Mary Dougherty and Mrs. Maggie Davern. It was occasioned by the sudden death of both husband and wife, and the outcome of the suit is satisfactory to all the parties interested.

The largest of the meetings under the United Irish League was held in Roscommon November 25.

JUST HATE.

Why the Irish Are Disloyal to
England in Her Hour
of Need.

During Seven Long Centuries
She Has Been Most Cruel
and Rapacious.

British Officials Refuse to Stand
Their Equitable Burden
of Taxation.

COERCION ACTS AND MARTIAL LAW

From the Minneapolis Irish Standard of last week we take the following excellent article, which Irish Americans should read and make the truths therein stated more generally known:

Many intelligent Americans who have not studied the political relations between England and Ireland for the past seven centuries and a quarter are at a loss to understand why the Irish are disloyal to Great Britain in the hour of need and why they sympathize with the Boers in the present war. When an Irish-American speaks out strongly against great Britain and expresses the hope that the Transvaal will maintain its independence and come through the war triumphantly, an American will be apt to accuse him of inheriting a prejudice against England. When an American reads the London dispatch about the Irish leaders being opposed to the enlistment of the young men of Ireland for the South African war, he will be likely to ask why the Irish can not be as loyal as the Scotch to the British Empire, of which they are subjects. The manifestation of sympathy with the Boers at mass meetings held in Ireland is a puzzle to the American who has been fed on British literature and taught to believe that the British Government is engaged in carrying Christianity and civilization into Africa and Asia along with dum-dum bullets and lyddite shells. The unsophisticated American of English descent finds it hard to comprehend why the Irishman is so implacable in his hostility to "mother England" and thinks him a stupid fellow and very malicious to say an unkind word of the great civilizer of mankind.

Now, we will tell the aforesaid American in as few words as possible why Irishmen ardently pray for the downfall of England, and hope to sing a hosanna of praise over her defeat in the dark continent. It is because during seven long centuries England has been cruel and rapacious in Ireland and has governed the Irish people with a rod of iron. For nearly a hundred years nine-tenths of the people of Ireland were trodden under foot by the other one-tenth, according to British law, and even today the same minority rule the majority and compel the British Parliament to deny the right of self-government to the native race. Every office of honor and profit in Ireland is filled by aliens and renegade natives. The Irish people are compelled to submit to unjust laws or emigrate. Lord Salisbury told them not long since that the alternative for dissatisfied Irishmen was "manacles or Manitoba." The Queen's Viceroy is paid \$100,000 a year out of the peoples' pockets, and when the people demand they are clubbed, fined or imprisoned. There have been 40,000 redcoats and 13,000 bluecoats in Ireland to maintain British "law and order," and all at the expense of the people. In fifty years the population of the country has diminished one-half—something unprecedented in the history of a prolific race like the Irish. During the same period the country has been afflicted with famines and the only relief afforded by the British Government has been coercion acts and martial law. The people have been prevented from holding public meetings to discuss their grievances, and their leaders have been transported and imprisoned and hanged. No wrongs have been redressed from a sense of justice, and England never grants what Ireland demands.

During the past half century Ireland has been overtaxed, in violation of the act of union, the enormous sum of \$750,000,000, and when a royal commission reports such a gigantic robbery, the British rulers continue their swindling operations and make no restitution to the people they have plundered. The Catholic people of Ireland are deprived of higher education in order that the Protestant minority may have all the fat offices in the gift of the Government. The British officials in Ireland refuse to stand their equitable burden of taxation. When a bill for the incorporation of suburban towns into the Dublin municipality passes the House of Commons, in order to reach the non-taxpaying officials, the House of Lords lays it on the shelf. In the face of all this, why should the Irish people be loyal to England in her hour of difficulty? If the Irish were governed like the English and Scotch it is possible they would not be opposed to British aggression in Africa as they now are. Ireland is a thorn in the side of England and will checkmate her on the chess-board of Europe while she is being forcibly robbed and misgoverned. The reason why the Irish take no stock in England's protestations of friendship for the United States is because they know her

intimately for seven hundred years to be a hypocrite of the first water. No other people have had the sad experience of England's acquaintance such a long period, and hence it is that the Irish desire no Anglo-American alliance and are ready to combat it with their lives, if necessary. For further information on Irish opposition to England's war in the Transvaal, read Gladstone's great speech on the suppression of the Irish Parliament and the passage of the iniquitous act of union which forcibly links Ireland to England for purposes of plunder and profit to the empire.

POPULAR YOUNG SOLDIER.

Large Gathering of Friends
Celebrate His Ninth
Birthday.

One of the largest gatherings of little people witnessed in the West End this season gathered at the home of Michael O'Donnell, Twentieth and Bank streets,



MASTER DOMINICK O'DONNELL.

last Sunday, to congratulate his bright little son, Dominick, on his ninth birthday anniversary. The little ones were coming and going all day, and in the evening a number of older people called to congratulate the lad.

He was the recipient of many presents, some especially handsome ones from his schoolmates and members of St. Patrick's Cadets, of which he is one of the most valiant members. Young O'Donnell is a remarkably bright youth, and his friends expect him to reach the front in whatever profession he may choose to follow. He is the son of Michael and Eliza O'Donnell, who never fail to make these anniversaries pleasant for his friends.

DONAVAN RETURNS.

Gallant Lieutenant Colonel of
the Famous Sixty-Ninth
Regiment.

Col. Sid Gates, the genial Louisville passenger agent for the Big Four, received a letter Tuesday from Capt. J. L. Donovan, of the regular army, in which he states he will return to Louisville next week to take charge of the recruiting station here and the sub-station at Lexington.

Capt. Donovan, at the time of the breaking out of the war with Cuba, was taken from the Twenty-first regular infantry and made Lieutenant Colonel of the famous Irish Sixty-ninth of New York. Upon its being mustered out he returned to his regiment and was sent to the Philippines, and had he not been wounded at the battle of Luzon he would have received a much higher commission, as his skill and bravery were known to the War Department. He was sent to New York to recover, and his hosts of friends, military and civil, will be glad to learn of his assignment to Louisville.

Capt. Donovan is an Irish Kentuckian, being a native of Springfield, and entered West Point from that district. He was considered one of the best officers ever connected with the Sixty-ninth, and his popularity with the men under him was almost phenomenal.

GAELIC IN AFRICA.

Mr. John MacBride, the stalwart son of Connacht, who is one of the chiefs of the Irish legion formed in the Transvaal to assist Oom Paul against the English aggressor, has been for a long time a vigorous worker for the Gaelic tongue. Before the present trouble, MacBride had organized among the Irishmen working in different capacities round the mines of Johannesburg classes for the study of the tongue of our fathers, and the enterprise, beginning on a very small scale, had attained such considerable proportions that it was not unusual to hear diggers and foremen joining in the old Gaelic songs as they went about their work under the South African sun. The old classic line—applied so felicitously by Cork's own "Father Prout" to another brotherhood—we may take also to ourselves: "Quae regio terris nostrae non plena laboris." Which may be roughly translated: "Will we let any son of Eire ever get out of the reach of the Gaelic? Soira a one."

Y. M. I.

Mackin Council Takes Posses-
sion of Its New Club
House.

Annual Election of Officers Was
Held Last Tuesday
Evening.

Neat Sum Realized From the
Late Dramatic Enter-
tainment.

APPLICATIONS POURING IN RAPIDLY.

Mackin Council held a very enthusiastic meeting last Tuesday evening, at which officers for the ensuing year were elected. Nearly two hundred members were present, many taking advantage of this occasion to inspect their new home for the first time. There were a large number of candidates nominated for the different offices, several of the races being quite animated. The count of the ballots showed the following to be successful:

Chaplain—Rev. A. J. Brady.
President—William Kerberg, re-elected.
First Vice President—George J. Lutz.
Second Vice President—John Harlow.
Marshal—Charles S. Raidy.
Recording Secretary—Louis Straub.
Financial Secretary—Mark M. Raidy.
Corresponding Secretary—B. Ausdenmore.

Treasurer—D. W. Cuniff, re-elected.
Inside Sentinel—George Semonis.
Outside Sentinel—A. J. Wald.
Executive Committee—F. L. Eberhardt, John Kemper, C. H. Zook, R. L. Fisher, Joseph Heckmann.

The Literary and Amusement Committee made a very favorable report on their dramatic entertainment and stated that they would be able to turn over quite a neat sum to the Treasurer.

A vote of thanks was tendered Miss Goss for her generous donation of costumes to the ladies participating in the drama, and also for the interest she has shown in the prosperity of Mackin Council.

Since moving into the new club house applications for membership have been coming in rapidly. From present indications the number enrolled will have been increased beyond the three hundred mark before the approach of spring.

Resolutions of thanks were adopted to Misses Bee Mullarkey and Irene Goldbach, and Frank Cunningham, Tella Webb, W. C. Jones and William Pirman, who all made such a fine showing in "Called Away."

The closer it gets to Christmas the larger is the attendance at the club rooms on Sunday nights. Frank Schultes, Harry Thorpe, Dan Shreibler, Ed Weber, William Shaughnessy, Bernard Dawson, John Thierman, Jim Hines, Jim Hoey and Frank Morgan formed an anti-Christmas gift Club last Sunday evening, and will meet weekly until after the holidays.

There will be a big turn-out of Mackin Club members to witness the show to be given under the direction of Bernard Dawson at the Avenue Opera House on the night of December 18.

James Duffy, one of the best known members of the council, will leave Monday for Texas, where he goes to accept a lucrative position.

The Cromwell Club was well represented at the entertainment, occupying the box to the right of the stage.

A large delegation of Mackin boys enjoyed the dramatic entertainment given by the Aquinas Union Thanksgiving night.

DILLON ON UNITY.

Despairs of the Reconstruc-
tion of the Irish Parlia-
mentary Party.

Late press dispatches convey the information that John Dillon, M. P., declines to serve on the committee appointed by the Dublin meeting to carry on the unity negotiations. In a letter to Timothy Healy he says he believes the country has lost all faith in the possibility of the reconstruction of the United Irish Parliamentary party by negotiations between the members of Parliament.
This action of Dillon's will not add to his popularity with the Irish people. They are reported to be fast approaching that point when they will set aside their former leaders unless they drop their factional differences in behalf of a united people with the purpose of home rule and the recovery of the lands.

REMAINS TO BE REMOVED.

There is a movement on foot to have the remains of the late Father O'Growney removed to his native land from where they now lie buried in New Calvary cemetery, Los Angeles. Few men ever stood higher in the affections of his fellow-countrymen and fewer still were more deserving of the recognition due to an exalted degree of worth and genuine patriotism.

CROKER AND THE AGENT.

When Richard Croker sailed for England last June an agent of an enterprising

firm dealing in spring water sent aboard the steamship a dozen demijohns of water. On Mr. Croker's return the same agent boarded the steamer at Quarantine and attempted to get from the Tammany chieftain some favorable expression regarding the water that he might use for advertising purposes.

"How did it compare with what you drank in England?" inquired the agent, when he finally got the ear of the boss.

Mr. Croker placed his hand on the agent's shoulder and, drawing him close, whispered:

"What I drank in England, did you ask? Well, I'll tell you, but you must never breathe it to a soul. They say that English water is bad, very bad, and while I've got a good deal of courage, I can't tell you much about it from lack of personal knowledge. The truth is all the time I was on the island I didn't touch anything stronger than—" and he sagely winked his eye.

EDWARD D. HANNON.

Former Louisville Boy Now
One of Paducah's City
Fathers.

The Paducah Leader of last Sunday publishes portraits of its newly-elected city officials, among them being that of Edward D. Hannon, formerly of this city, who will represent the First ward of Paducah in the City Council. He is the youngest man in that body, as well as one of the most popular, as attested by the great vote cast for him. He was born here in 1867, but removed to Paducah in 1890 to engage in the plumbing, gas and steam fitting business, and conducts the largest establishment in that part of the State. The Leader says of him: "Mr. Hannon was married in 1894, and is a member of the Catholic church. He was elected at the last election and will serve as Councilman for the next two years. He is an honest, clever business man, and will make the city of Paducah a first-class Councilman. He is a true Democrat." His many friends in the First ward are gratified at his success.

JEFFERSONVILLE.

Happenings in Hibernian and
Social Circles Over the
River.

Division 1 of the Ancient Order of Hibernians held a very interesting meeting Thursday evening and transacted much business that was of a peculiarly important nature. Several applications for membership were received and referred to the Membership Committee. The committee having charge of the late ball submitted a partial report, which showed that it was a financial success.

Messrs. Peter Madden, William Reilly and Barney Coll will leave next week for Henryville on a hunting trip.

Misses Katie Gannon and Lizzie Ryan are visiting relatives in Chicago.

Morris Kennedy's friends will regret to learn that he is suffering from a serious illness.

The condition of Patrick Gleason, who has been confined to his home on West Front street, is reported as slightly improved.

A number of members of Division 1 will visit their New Albany brethren Sunday afternoon. The editor of the Kentucky Irish American will accompany the party.

JOHN CUDAHY HERE.

John Cudahy, the famous Chicago pork packer, was here this week in connection with his interests in the Louisville Packing Company. He found the local institution in a flourishing condition and doing an exceptionally large business. It may not be generally known that the Louisville Packing Company has furnished the Government with a large share of its product, which has always been found to be the very best obtainable. Under the able management of Messrs. Clancy and Moran this house is attaining a world-wide fame, their foreign shipments being now larger than those of many establishments catering only to the foreign trade. During the Cuban war the soldiers who were supplied with meats from any of the Cudahy houses never had cause to complain of quality.

IRISH-AMERICAN SOCIETY.

At the semi-monthly meeting of the Irish-American Society this week it was decided to send circulars to each member, telling them of the duty they owe that body and requesting their presence at the next meeting, which will be held December 21, when the annual election of officers for the coming year will take place. It is expected that Hibernian Hall will be filled. Those who have not done so should at once pay their dues, which are very small, otherwise they will forfeit their claims to both sick and death benefits.

ANOTHER NEW UNION.

The carpenters of Jeffersonville held a largely attended meeting in the old Council chamber in Jeffersonville Wednesday evening for the purpose of organizing a union in that city. They were addressed by Charles Dietz, Business Agent of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, and representatives from the Central Labor Union. Preliminary steps were taken for the procuring of a charter from the national body. There ought to be a good union in Jeffersonville.

LUCKY WINNERS.

Those Who Drew the Handsome
Prizes Offered at the Sis-
ters' Bazar.

Drawings Witnessed by Large
Crowd at St. Mary's Hall
Monday Night.

Sacred Heart Ladies Victorious
in Sale of Combination
Tickets.

JAMES WOLFE GETS THE BATH TUB

Last Monday evening the handsome bath tub and combination book articles offered as prizes at the bazar for the Sisters of the Good Shepherd were drawn for in the presence of a large audience at St. Mary's Hall and the business of the fair wound up.

The booth of the Sacred Heart through Mrs. Andrew Kast was awarded the first prize for selling the largest number of combination books, turning in therefor over \$300. The second prize went to Miss Agnes McGinn, of St. Patrick's, whose sales aggregated \$195. The winners were warmly congratulated.

The report of President O'Brien and Treasurer Duffy showed that the net proceeds would be over \$5,000, and the statement elicited rounds of applause from the throng of ladies and gentlemen present. The net earnings of the different booths were headed by the Cathedral, the round numbers being as follows:

Cathedral, \$1,400.
Sacred Heart, \$935.
St. Louis Bertrand, \$827.
St. Patrick's, \$741.
St. Mary's, \$637.
Sisters' table, \$564.
St. Bridget's, \$553.
Art Gallery, \$50.
The gross receipts of the bazar footed up \$6,642.90.

James Wolfe, the popular Limerick grocer, won the handsome enameled bath tub donated by M. J. Duffy. Joe Nevlin drew out the lucky number for him.

The following were the fortunate winners of the various articles in the combination books:

Miss Margaret Bosler, gold blue cameo set, bracelet, brooch and earrings.
Charles Lehman, West Broadway, statue of St. Anthony.

Mrs. Steiger, Third street, handsome baby carriage robe.
Mrs. O'Sullivan, 1520 Seventh street, sheep.

Mrs. Fred Loeser, a half dozen fancy embroidered towels.

P. Soden, silver butter dish.
William F. Scheiber, Story avenue, gold watch.

Alberta Reiling, 711 Fast Chestnut, bridal trousseau.

John P. Long, Rogers street, statue of Guardian Angel.

Nora Kennedy, St. Louis, gold pencil.

Will Krieger, 1731 Preston street, gold brooch.

Rev. J. Bohlson, ornamental rosewood table.

Miss Viola Becker, Twenty-fifth street, crayon picture and frame.

After the awarding of the prizes, President O'Brien thanked all who had in any way contributed to the undertaking, paying a glowing tribute to the ladies and gentlemen who were associated with him.

Many also took occasion to express their appreciation of the kindness of Rev. Father Westerman from the very beginning and his generous gift of the use of St. Mary's Hall for the past three months.

The drawings were conducted by Andrew Kast and John Coleman, who were declared to be as much at home as when running the wheel or paddles. They were indefatigable in their labors from the first and none deserve more credit.

A resolution was offered and adopted thanking Messrs. Rosenheim & Co., the Main street crockery and queensware merchants, who generously donated the use of their wares during the entire time of the bazar.

Before adjourning Thomas Tarpy made a ringing talk commending the many efforts of President O'Brien, which contributed so much toward making the bazar a success, and offered a resolution that as a slight recognition of his services he be tendered a rising vote of thanks, which was carried with enthusiasm.

HOW TO CARVE A TURKEY.

Insert the carving fork across the middle of the breastbone.

Cut through the skin between the breast and the thigh.

Bend the leg over and cut off close to the body and through the joint.

Cut through the top of the shoulder down through the wing joint.

Carve only from the side nearest you.

Tip the bird over slightly and with the point of the knife remove the oyster and the small dark portion found on the side bone.

Then remove the fork from the breast and divide the leg and wing.

Cut through the skin between the body and breast, and with a spoon remove a portion of the stuffing.

Serve light or dark meat and stuffing, as preferred.

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MESSAGE TO CONGRESS.

The President's message was read in Congress on Tuesday. Though lengthy, it is remarkable for its temperate tone and absence of partisanship, and lacks much that it was charged the President would urge. He practically refers the questions of Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines to Congress, which alone can decide on the form of government for them, or their disposition, he recommending a territorial government for Hawaii, a maintaining of the protectorate over Cuba till the thorough forming of its civil government, and local civil government in Porto Rico until the people are fitted to be given a territorial government. As to the Philippines, he recommends the maintenance of order and protection of life and property, and the substitution of civil for military rule as the condition of affairs will permit. The power to provide for these matters rests wholly with Congress, and he urges prompt action.

A CRIME TO BE POOR.

It is a crime to be poor in England. It is not so by statute or decision of courts, but it is so regarded and treated. England has no institutions or system of relief for the unfortunate and helpless provided and supported by the Government. The homeless and friendless poor have but one place to go—the workhouse, where petty criminals are sent and incarcerated, and the stigma of the workhouse rests ever after on the poor or the petty criminal alike who has ever been an inmate. Children born in the workhouse, whether their parents were confined as criminals or were merely poor, forced to accept shelter and food, are branded for life and barred from all respect or preferment. To have been an inmate of the workhouse in England is a disgrace so humiliating as to excite horror among decent poor people, and they often suffer hardship, exposure and starvation rather than go, especially with their families, to the workhouse.

In no other civilized country is there such heartless disregard and lack of provision for the unfortunate of humanity, and to all people save the English the English system is regarded as brutal. This is made manifest by the revolt of the Irish people against the attempt of the British Government to establish and enforce the English system, or rather abolish the Irish system of poor relief and substitute the workhouse therefor. It is no crime to be poor in Ireland. The Irish heart overflows with sympathy for the unfortunate and generous relief is extended them, even at the cost of sacrifice to the donor. Throughout Ireland there are boards of relief to look after and provide for the wants of the poor, and in cities and towns there are homes and hospitals where the poor are cared for and free industrial schools where poor children are given a home, education and taught to work at some useful occupation. The money to support these institutions is only partly borne by the local government, the larger proportion being from private donations.

The British Ministry has decided and so notified the local authorities of Dublin that appropriations of public funds for such institutions and associations is in violation of law and must cease. The announcement of the ministerial order at first dazed the Irish people, to be followed by calm and deliberate conference and a spontaneous organization

and an earnest petition and protest. In Dublin a newspaper item suggesting a meeting brought together informally Catholic and Protestant clergy, public officials, business men, regardless of politics. A temporary organization, with Archbishop Logue as chairman, was formed, a petition to Dublin's Town and District Councils was drawn up, circulated and signed by thousands, submitted to the councils, unanimously approved by them and forwarded to London. The Dublin organization, having been formally organized with a large membership, issued an address to the Town and District Councils throughout Ireland, asking their co-operation, with the result that committees are being named, and the movement will soon become an all-Ireland protest against the British Ministry's effort to interfere in the expenditure of the poor relief funds paid by Irish taxpayers. What ultimate course of action will be decided on in case the Ministry decline to withdraw the order has not been settled. If the right of the British Ministry to interfere in or exercise authority over Irish local affairs is to be the issue the question may be fought out in the courts, able attorneys having volunteered their services. If the law should be held to apply to Ireland, as claimed by the Ministry, then it will be made a Parliamentary issue in an effort to have the law amended so that Ireland will be left free to expend the money collected in taxes from her people for poor relief and to care for the poor as the Irish people may prefer. If Ireland is really to have local self-government, as claimed she has been granted under the council regime, she should be allowed to do this, and not be forced to adopt the repulsive workhouse system which, though it may suit England, is horrifying to the Irish.

RIDICULOUS.

The eagerness of England to impress the public with the belief that she is gaining friends to approve and uphold her in her foreign policy is sometimes ridiculous. Her claims for the past year of an alliance with the United States have been so persistent that some thoughtless or ignorant editors believe and denounce the alleged "secret alliance." There can be no such thing as a secret alliance on the part of the United States, since no one is authorized to represent or bind the Government in such compacts but the Senate, which must approve it. The President and his Cabinet have no such power, which is sufficient to disprove the reported "secret alliance." Now comes from London another silly report of a tripartite alliance of Great Britain, Germany and the United States, on this basis: The Emperor of Germany and the Prince of Wales attended the dinner on Thanksgiving of the Duke of Marlborough, whose wife is an American; at another Thanksgiving dinner United States Minister Choate, in responding to a toast, spoke in a complimentary way of the English people—as politeless would require a guest to do; and the talkative Chamberlain indulged in one of his harangues about Saxon and Anglo-Saxon friendship and unity, boasting that such an alliance could defy the world. From all this the London dispatch seeks to give a vague impression of the much-desired tripartite alliance, for which claim or hope, it is clearly seen, there is no ground.

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TURNER FOR ROBERTS.

Brigham H. Roberts, Congressman-elect from Utah, was denied admission to Congress Tuesday by a vote of 302 to 30, on the ground that he was a polygamist, and a committee appointed to investigate charges against him. He disproved the charges that he was an alien by presenting his naturalization papers, and denied that he was guilty of violating the anti-polygamy law, had never been charged, arrested, or convicted of that or any other offense. The case is one without precedent, as Roberts is held to be guilty on mere assertion and denied his seat till proven innocent. Among those who voted against the resolution was Congressman Turner, of this district, who denies the right of Congress to exclude members-elect on mere charges. He contended Roberts should be admitted, the charges taken up, and if he be guilty, then expel him.

CENSOR IN AFRICA.

The censor in South Africa has not stopped the mail and belated war news is getting out, from which the condition of the British appears to be far from favorable. The Dutch in Cape Colony are only kept from open revolt by the presence of troops that ought to have gone to the relief of Ladysmith. There is no definite news from Gen. Methuen since his reported victory at Modder river, and there are fears that he has been lured into a trap and his army routed or captured. Even Gen. Buller, who was to march with the main force on to Pretoria and end the war, has been unable to advance over the Natal line. The latest dispatches from Cape Town given out acknowledge that there is nothing definite to report as to movements of the British forces, and that Methuen's location is only guessed.

Mr. C. E. Shepherd, Chairman of the Printing Committee of the City Council, has held up several claims for city printing for investigation. This has aroused some of the contractors to unfavorable criticism. Usually the Printing Committee in our legislative bodies is composed of men who know nothing about printing, and approve all bills from the "lowest bidder," being unaware of the fact that by using inferior material and incompetent labor the printing furnished by the lowest bidder is too often more of a gouge than if furnished by the highest bidder, who would comply fully with specifications and furnish the class of printing contracted for. Mr. Shepherd is a practical printer, and knows about the different classes of material and is determined to stop the practice of some firms of putting in the lowest bid for first-class printing, shutting out the honest bidder, and making money by furnishing an inferior class of printing at the price for first class, to the loss of the city and detriment of the printing craft generally.

The union label scored a victory in the awarding of the printing of the digest of city ordinances, the work going to Bradley and Gilbert, a union office. We do not believe the report that an effort will be made to repeal the label ordinance, but if it is true, let the attempt be made, as we have no doubt the new Council will stand the test and uphold honest labor. The claim that the ordinance is unconstitutional only comes from printing firms without the label, and though they have made this claim for years, none of them have undertaken to test it in the courts, the proper place to settle that issue.

The call for a State Federation of Labor in Kentucky seems to meet with favor. Such an organization properly managed can certainly do much in the way of securing favorable legislation and defeating obnoxious measures in the Legislature. It is worthy of a trial, and its inauguration indicates that Kentucky organized labor is getting out of the rut and preparing to join in progressive methods.

Read the Kentucky Irish American for Irish news, then pass it over to a neighbor.



Charles Fisher has returned from West Baden Springs.

Mrs. Louis K. Webb was this week the guest of her mother in Nashville.

Will Miller, of West Zane street, has returned from a successful hunting trip.

Mrs. Dennis J. Nehan returned this week from Asheville, N. C., after a visit to her sister.

Fred Whitcomb was among the Louisvilleans who spent last week at West Baden Springs.

R. L. Kelly, a well known business man of Bowling Green, was a visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Foley, of Henderson, have returned home, after visiting here for several days.

Miss Marie Smythe, of Bardstown, Ky., spent several days in the city last week, the guest of Miss Nell Sexton.

James O'Connor, of East Walnut street, returned this week from Nazareth, where he had been visiting his daughter.

Mrs. Kate Grannon, of Jeffersonville, accompanied by her sister, Miss Lizzie Ryan, are visiting relatives in Chicago.

Miss Lulie Evans, of Boston, will be the guest of honor at a luncheon to be given by Miss Mary Boyle next Tuesday.

The many friends in this city of Mrs. Peter Madden will regret to learn that she is seriously ill at her home in Jeffersonville.

James Travell, of Guthrie, Tenn., has been visiting here since last Sunday as a guest of Mr. Ed Greaney, of Seventh and St. Catherine.

Miss Blanche Pilsen returned home Tuesday from Nazareth, where she enjoyed a delightful visit with her cousin, Miss Marie Costigan.

Mr. John Kane, of Huntingburg, spent Thanksgiving day with his sister, Mrs. R. E. Fleming. Mr. Kane is a popular conductor on the Air Line.

Mrs. William Kelly has gone to Alexandria, Ind., where she will remain till after the holidays. She was accompanied by Miss Mary Agnes Thompson.

Mr. Robert E. Fleming and little son, Thomas, are back from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fleming of Henderson, Ky., the parents of Mr. Fleming.

Miss Nell Sexton entertained several friends at dinner last Sunday in honor of Miss Marie Smythe, of Bardstown, who has been her guest for several days.

A pretty little daughter has arrived at the residence of Walter Cassey, on Garland avenue, and the happy father is being deluged with congratulations.

Chairman Charles F. Grainger, of the Board of Public Works, has been confined to his room at the Louisville Hotel for several days with an attack of grip.

Corporal John Reilly is considered by many to be the most popular police officer in the city. John's courteous and pleasant ways are responsible for his popularity.

The Coterie Club members were delightfully entertained Tuesday evening by Miss Nora McAuliffe at her home in Jeffersonville. She was voted a charming hostess.

There has been a great many bouquets passed to Frank Cunningham this past week in regard to his acting in the Mackin Council and Aquinas Union entertainment.

Lieut. Jerry Hallihan won the silver match-box offered as a prize to the best gentleman player at the last party of the Young Men's Division. His victory was a popular one.

The Aquinas Union will tender the members of its dramatic company a banquet at their rooms next Monday evening. The occasion promises to be a most enjoyable one.

There have been a great many requests for the Aquinas Union to repeat their entertainment of Thanksgiving evening. They will consider it at their meeting next Monday night.

Michael J. Carroll and wife, 2225 High avenue, are happy over the arrival at their home of a handsome baby girl, in whose honor a reception to their friends is being arranged for.

Friends of Patsy Coleman, the well-known engineer, are mentioning him for a position on the detective force, all on account of the hard chase he gave a burglar one night last week.

Miss Nellie Broderick was the winner of the handsome silk umbrella offered as a prize to the ladies at the euchre party of the Young Men's Division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Little Emmet Fleming has gone to Seymour, Ind., to visit Miss Nell Jonas, a charming young lady of that city. Emmet, like his charming mother, is a universal favorite wherever he goes.

The Bryant and Stratton College has a larger number of pupils this year than for several seasons past. Mrs. Miller and Mr. Krieger are the popular teachers of stenography and type-writing. Many

of Mrs. Miller's former pupils will be rejoiced to hear of her return to the college. Her sister, Miss Katterjohn, a handsome, talented young lady, is a pupil of the stenographical department.

The dance and euchre of the Young Men's Division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was one of the most successful social events of the present social season. Those present are anxious for another after Advent.

News has been received here that Emmet Kennedy, who is studying for the priesthood at St. Mary's College, Md., is making rapid progress in his studies. This news will be gratifying to Emmet's many friends here.

Miss Laura Welch entertained a number of friends at her home Wednesday evening. There were games, music and a cake walk, and at midnight all partook of a bounteous luncheon. The cake was won by Miss Mayme Cannon and John Maguire.

Master James Nevin Cunningham has entirely recovered from the severe attack of malaria fever with which he has been suffering for the past four weeks. He is a bright, manly little fellow, and his many friends are glad to see him at school again.

Miss Cara Kelch gave an informal dance and card party at her home, 606 West Walnut street, Wednesday evening. Dancing and card playing were indulged in by the guests till a late hour, when refreshments were served. All those present expressed themselves as having spent a pleasant evening.

The ball given at the Galt House Tuesday evening by Dr. and Mrs. Wathen to introduce their daughters, Misses Mary and Katherine, was perhaps the most brilliant and enjoyable of the season. Nothing had been spared, and the occasion was one that will long be remembered by Louisville society.

Little Margaret Atkins, of 340 Second street, was given a delightful birthday party on December 5. Those present were Misses Margaret Atkins, Eugenia Cunningham, Marie Murphy, Josephine Culp, Florence Erasime, Edith and Bessie Hunt, Katherine Atkins, Masters Charles Kist, William J. Schaich, George Wilhelm and Marion Weller.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Maher, Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Adams, Misses Mary Broderick, Katherine and Mayme Hallinan and Messrs. Albert Gilchrist, Harry Bartlett, Dan O'Hearn and Joseph Stanton formed a jolly party from this city to Charleston, Ind., where a dance and euchre party was given them by Mrs. Ben Schaefer. During the evening the guests were treated to a bounteous luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coen entertained a party of friends at their home, 309 Twenty-first street, Wednesday evening, in honor of Sir William Hume, of Manchester, Eng. The evening was devoted to literary and musical exercises of a very high order. Mr. Hume, who is one of the leading English publishers, is in this country for the purpose of delivering a series of lectures on chemistry before the faculties and students of the leading Catholic colleges and seminaries. His rendition of several elocutionary and musical selections was highly appreciated by the assembled guests. He is now visiting in Central Kentucky, and upon his return will be the guest of honor at several receptions now being arranged.

The marriage of Miss Flora Bartley and John Huckey was quietly solemnized Thanksgiving evening at Holy Cross church, Rev. Father Cunningham performing the ceremony. The pretty bride has been a pronounced favorite among her large number of friends in West End social circles, to whom the announcement came as a pleasing surprise. The groom is a popular fireman on the Louisville Southern railroad, and is well-known throughout the city. The attendants were Miss Annie Ehl and Deputy Circuit Court Clerk Mark Ryan. After the ceremony at the church an elegant supper was served to a number of intimate friends of the contracting parties at the residence of the groom's parents on Twenty-sixth street, where they are at home to their friends for the present.

Miss Katie Smith entertained the Knockers' Club with a euchre last Wednesday evening at her residence, Fifth and B streets. Those present were Misses Katie B. Lannin, Lily Halligan, Mary K. O'Malley, Mayme Mullaney, Mollie McCarthy, Mayme Deucher, Lily Gordon, Mayme Keefe, Katie and Mamie A. Hartigan, Margaret and Nellie Carroll, Ella Connelly, Mayme Connell and Mrs. Mary Monahan; Messrs. Walter Proctor, George Raughtenbusch, John Barry, Joe Meehan, John Burke, John McQuese, Cook Hamill, George Gast, Charles Halbeck, Edward Owens, Larry Smith and James Hartigan. First prize for ladies was won by Miss Mayme Deucher, second prize by Miss Mollie McCarthy; first prize for gentlemen was won by Edward Owens, second prize by Joseph Meehan. The refreshments were served after the euchre.

CONVALESCING.

Miss Annie Kelly, one of the most popular young lady members of the Ladies' Auxillary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, who has been seriously ill at her home for several weeks, is now reported convalescent, and her friends are now hopeful for her speedy recovery.

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IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of the Recent Events Culled From Exchanges.

The Clare County Council elected E. J. Carroll veterinary inspector for the Ennis district.

The death of Mrs. John G. Poole occurred at Gorey, County Wexford, November 21.

The Irish Transvaal Committee has appointed William Redmond, M. P., a co-treasurer with John O'Leary and Miss Maud Gonne.

At the last meeting of the Rathdown Board of Guardians the appointment of Sylvester Byrne as Master of the Workhouse was confirmed.

The Dublin Independent has added a Gaelic department to its weekly edition. The good example will soon be followed by other leading Irish journals.

Among the deaths deeply regretted in Dublin is that of Mrs. Kate Gibbons, the beloved wife of John Gibbons, Secretary of the Operative Bakers' Society.

A serious fire recently broke out in the Wexford military barracks. Two new recruits, Breslin and Ward, had a narrow escape from being burned to death.

The death of Patrick Nugent in Dublin caused deep sorrow among his very large circle of friends. His funeral occurred November 24, and the remains were interred in Glasnevin.

At a special meeting of the Board of Managers of the Galway General Hospital a resolution was adopted calling for the appointment of Sister Mary Bernard Ryan to the matronship.

The Wexford County Council has taken steps to secure the restoration of many evicted tenants. They are being conducted under the guidance of Lord Plunkett and Cardinal Logue.

Two men, named William and John Hickey, were committed for trial at Galbally, County Limerick, charged with murdering their step-father, John Gratton, by injuring him during a quarrel.

The death rate in Dublin has of late become very high. For the past four months the returns of mortality have been greatly in excess of what they have been at any time during the previous ten years.

Patrick J. Walsh, aged eighty-two years and one of Dublin's highly esteemed residents, passed to his eternal reward November 21. His funeral occurred with high mass and the interment was in Glasnevin.

Patrick Fortune and Miss Katie Murphy, the third daughter of James Murphy, were united in marriage at the Catholic church, Balinglass, the home of the bride, by the Rev. Father Breen. The groom is the youngest son of the late Thomas Fortune, of County Wexford.

Major Haire, Justice of the Peace, was charged at the Newtownbutler Petty Sessions with feloniously shooting at a man named Grue, who was trespassing on his land. The defendant, who denied the accusation, was returned for trial at the Assizes and was admitted to bail.

At the meeting of the Thurles Urban Council Lawler, Ryan said, as the estimate for providing a water supply for Thurles was \$55,000 and the Council's borrowing power was only \$35,000, the scheme could not be carried out. It was decided to let the scheme fall through.

It is understood that Lord Gosford intends to go to the Court of Appeal with a number of his cases recently tried at Armagh by the Chief Commissioners. He alleges that the courts have taken into consideration the question of occupation interest in a number of true value cases.

The lecture, with songs and selections interspersed, in memory of the Manchester martyrs, conducted by the Dublin Celtic Society, was a great success, the Workmen's Club rooms being crowded. The proceeds were added to the fund for erecting a memorial to Allen, Larkin and O'Brien in Manchester.

At a meeting of the Wexford Guardians, James Codd presiding, a circular was read from the All-Ireland Committee Irish Financial Reform League inviting the board to send delegates to the approaching conference in Dublin. James Codd, A. Ennis, James Hore and William Sears were appointed to represent the board.

Owing to an outbreak of fever some time ago in Sligo county the harmless lunatics had to be removed from the upper hospital of Sligo workhouse to make room for the large number of fever patients sent in. This was only a temporary arrangement, and as such was agreed to by the Local Government Board Inspector. On the recovery of the fever patients the upper hospital was disinfected.

Coroner Frost held an inquiry in Ennis on the body of a man named Kenny, an army pensioner, and lately engaged as Sheriff's Bailiff in the town, who had died very suddenly. It seemed that Kenny was chatting with a neighbor about the Boers wrecking of the armored train, as reported in the daily papers, when he suddenly fell forward. When picked up he was unconscious and death supervened in ten minutes.

At the Petty Sessions for the Roscommon division of Athlone a man named William O'Connor, of Ennis, was summoned at the instance of the railway company for traveling on their line without procuring a ticket, also for a serious assault on Michael Glynn, a ticket checker. For traveling without a ticket the accused was fined, with the alternative of a month's imprisonment, and for the assault he was sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard labor.

At the last meeting of the Tullamore Guardians, Mr. Doorley in the chair, the resolution from the Wexford County Council relating to the Evicted Tenants' Restoration Committee was adopted, with the following addition: "That our County Council be informed that we approve of the movement, and that a committee be appointed to dispose of the Paris funds, and we also suggest that steps be

taken by all County Councils to demand the Paris funds for the immediate benefit of the evicted tenants."

A respectable-looking farmer named John Fitzpatrick, who lives at Moyadey, was charged with stealing six head of cattle, the property of Mr. Murphy, Cloneybyrne. Mr. Murphy had the cattle grazing on the lands of Mrs. Daly Devereux at Ballyrankin, when he missed them. The accused sold the cattle to Abraham Hobson, and when arrested by Sgt. Fitzpatrick declared that he found the cattle—four bullocks and two heifers—on the road at Clohamon. Sir John Talbot Power and John Cullen remanded the prisoner.

The clerk of the Athlone Union, Dr. Vaughan, at the meeting Saturday announced that the bank had refused to honor any checks, the guardians' account being overdrawn. The Local Government Board consented that the money to keep the union going should be received from the County Council, but that body had not recently met and no money was now available to pay any of the checks. The result was that the relieving officers, contractors and officials who expected checks in the usual way were informed that no funds were available.

The Local Government Board, writing to the Roscrea Guardians, announced that, as considerable discrepancies exist in the scales of dietary in the various workhouses throughout Ireland, they were of opinion that all existing scales might be revised on more varied lines in regard to the children, infirm and lunatic class. A new scale of dietary was enclosed showing a more liberal allowance of nutritious foods and frequent changes. The boards of guardians are requested to consult their medical officers with the view to adopt the new scale in the different unions.

A public demonstration was held at Mogeely in honor of the release from prison of an evicted tenant named Mary Flynn, who for the past three months has been suffering a term of imprisonment for annoyance to a man who had taken her farm after the eviction. She was offered the alternative of getting bail, but instead preferred to go to Cork prison. To mark the public appreciation of her action a purse of sovereigns, subscribed by the Middleton branch of the United Irish League, was presented to her by Capt. Donelan, who delivered a stirring speech in praise of her heroism.

His Eminence Cardinal Logue, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of all Ireland, has been pleased to make the following clerical changes in the Archdiocese of Armagh: Rev. Thomas McWilliams, Magherafelt, has been appointed to Ballinderry, in place of Rev. Hugh McCooly, lately deceased; Rev. Michael O'Brien, Stonebridge, and Rev. Henry Callan, Loughgilly, have been appointed Catholic curates of Magherafelt; Rev. P. Mullen, Caledon, has been appointed to Loughgilly; Rev. Patrick McKee, Lissan, has been appointed to Caledon; Rev. Nathaniel Speer, Ballinderry, has been appointed to Stonebridge.

At the adjourned meeting of the Clare County Council, M. A. Scanlan presiding, John Lynch proposed the following resolution: "That seeing the deplorable condition of the evicted tenants, standing as they are on the verge of the poorhouse, neglected and left on their own resources for many a long and weary year, and considering the sufferings and the sacrifices of those wounded soldiers of the land war, we earnestly appeal to the County Council as the elected representatives of the people to appoint a day for a general collection in aid of the evicted tenants, to be made throughout every parish in Clare." Attached were the names of a number of well-known evicted tenants of the county.

The great Trappist Monastery of Mount St. Joseph, between Birr and Roscrea, to which not long ago some extensive additions were made, including the completion of a beautiful church, was two weeks ago the scene of solemn and most impressive religious functions that were witnessed and participated in by large concourses of people from all the surrounding parishes. The ceremonies were in connection with the blessing of the new grotto erected for the reception of the statue of Our Lady of Lourdes and unveiling of the statue itself. The whole is a superb and costly work of art. The statue is particularly beautiful, and is at once a singularly appropriate and magnificent gift to the order. The donor is Count Moore, M. P., the founder of the monastery.

PRETTY TALL CHIMNEYS.

Two Irishmen were one day having an argument as to which of their towns owned the highest chimney. "Well," said one of them, "one chimney belonging to the boot factory in Killarney is so high that it takes ninety-nine ladders, all tied together, to reach to the top of it."

"Sure that's nothing compared with ours in Cork," rejoined the other, "for it's so high that old Sandy, the lamp-lighter, has to climb to the top, which takes two days, and take three or four bricks off the top, to let the moon pass by."

BIBLE IN AFRICA.

A little tableau from life in Capetown a few weeks before the war began: An Anglican Bishop, whose pastorate was among Boers, but whose love did not overflow beyond the strict limits of his own English people, said to a Catholic lady, his hostess for a moment:

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To roll with wave-crest high
Than these merry soldier boys
Began to mourn and sigh.
They covered all the forward deck,
From port to starboard side;
They lay upon the white floor
And o'er the hatchway wide.
You could see their eyes grow dim
And hear their sighs escape
When the ship began to roll
Or sudden lurch did take.
No charms for them had supper's call—
They'd sooner stay on deck,
Or in their bunk to lay,
And if perchance they'd take a bite
Of stringy, tasteless beef,
Straight way they'd seek the vessel's side,
And o'er her rails find some relief.
"Spuds" were never half-way washed,
The peaches too sweet by far,
The rice was but a pasty mass,
The tea as black as tar;
The soup we got for saltiness
Would put Lot's wife to shame;
The corned beef and mackerel
And "salt horse" were the same.
The water we got to drink
Sometimes would salty be,
But whether fresh or salt
'Twas warmer than our tea.
One morn the Captain's dog took sick—
Ate breakfast from our mess—
And spite of all we could do
Ere night lay cold in rest.
Now how could you expect us boys
With happiness to be agog,
When what the cook gave us to eat
Would even kill the dog?
We all of us love Uncle Sam,
We'll fight for him right well;
But tell him to take his cooks and ships
And send them all to h—l.
JAMES J. LAVEN.

The above is addressed to any of his Louisville friends who are thinking of going to the Philippines. He is well known here, being a member of Division 4, A. O. H. He is with the Thirty-seventh regulars at Manila.

HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing
the Past Week—General
News Notes.

Division 3 held a very interesting meeting Wednesday evening.

The members of Division 3 regretted to learn of the illness of Martin Sheehan and Pat Kennedy.

Our Hibernian friends would confer a favor by mentioning this paper when making purchases.

James Curley, President of Division 9, has been nominated for the Common Council of Boston.

Brother Walsh, of Division 4, was among those who attended the meeting of Division 3 this week.

The feature of the third annual ball of Division 44, of Charlestown, Mass., was a concert of old Gaelic airs.

Division 3, of Auburn, N. Y., last week entertained a large company of friends at an old-fashioned card party.

The second Hibernian fair of the season conducted by Providence Hibernians was held last week by Division 6.

Ladies' Auxiliary 14, of Boston, entertained their friends with a whist and dancing party that was greatly enjoyed.

John Lanegan, who was re-elected to the Massachusetts House of Representatives, is a member of Division 17 of Roxbury.

President Murphy exercised good judgment in the selection of the executive committee for the celebration of St. Patrick's day.

The Hibernian Knights of Portland, Me., had an inspection and election of officers last Sunday, which was followed by a banquet.

Col. Joe Taylor and Denny Coleman were given a hearty welcome Wednesday evening, as it was their first attendance for some time.

Alderman James Doyle, of Boston, who has been renominated to the board from the Seventh district, is an active member of Division 50.

Secretary John Cavanaugh urges all the members of Division 3 to attend the next meeting. He wants to see each one personally.

There was a good attendance and the guests had a pleasant time at the second social given by Division 2 of Newport, R. I., last week.

The fair of Division 2, of Providence, came to a close last week, and the members are being congratulated upon the success achieved.

The annual concert and ball of Division 9, of Boston, Thursday evening was a thoroughly enjoyable affair, a large audience being present.

Division 6, of Woonsocket, last week conducted a successful fair in Foresters' Hall. The division that would hold a fair here would make money.

The last meeting of Division 1 was full of interest and enthusiasm, and the attendance most gratifying to President Keenan and his fellow-officers.

One of the leading members of Division 1 of Boston is Alderman Edward W. Dixon. He was renominated to the Board of Aldermen from the Third district.

Our Hibernian reporter was unavoidably absent from the meetings that took place last week, having been called to St. Louis, where he remained until last Saturday.

The Hibernian Rifles, of Providence, are urging enlistments in that body. Lieuts. Hallahan and Campbell ought to open a recruiting station here for the Knights.

nual concert and dance at Union Park Hall January 18.

The question of consolidation was given a free and intelligent discussion by the members of Division 3 Wednesday evening. Final action will be taken at the next meeting, when all members are urged to be present.

Division 2 wants all its members present Thursday evening. There will be an initiation. The officers of this division make the initiatory ceremony most impressive and interesting, and visitors will receive a cordial welcome.

Jeremiah Farrell, of Division 1, of Holyoke, Mass., received the nomination at the Democratic caucus for Alderman-at-large. He was given the second largest vote. Mr. Farrell, who is very popular among the Hibernians, is Treasurer of his division.

Division 27, of Natick, has purchased the building on Summer street, formerly occupied by the Natick Electric Light Company and also the cottage house beside it of Mr. Francis Biglow. It is the intention to partition the hall up-stairs, which is 30x70 feet, so as to have two ante-rooms and a hall for meeting purposes. The hall is in first-class condition, and with a small outlay will be one of the largest used for society purposes in town.

Last Sunday evening the Daughters of Erin celebrated their third anniversary in Hibernian Hall, Providence. The Visitor says the phenomenal success of the division since its inauguration, due in great part to its chief officers and active co-operation of its membership, has been a source of pleasure and surprise to all brother members, some of whom predicted but a short life for the organization which is now a model for them to follow.

LOUISVILLE DELEGATES.

Messrs. Walter M. Young and James McGill left last night for Detroit, where they will represent Louisville trades unionists as delegates to the American Federation of Labor from the Central Labor Union and the Federal Labor Union.

They will put up a vigorous fight to bring the next meeting of that great labor body to Louisville. Success to them.

THEATRICALS.

At the Avenue next week will be given for the first time in this city Lincoln J. Carter's production of Hugh Gibson's successful melo-drama, "Just Before Dawn." The scene is laid in a mining district of Pennsylvania during a period of labor excitement. In a straightforward manner the author tells a story that is full of entertaining incidents, and at the same time contains much amusing comedy of the right sort. Each of the four acts have received special attention. Mr. Gibson heads the company, and his support includes many well-known names.

Col. Meffert's next week's attraction at the Temple Theater should prove to be one of the best drawing cards of the season. "The Hidden Hand" is a fine melo-drama, one of the old school, filled with exciting incidents and of interest to all classes. The play is from the pen of Mrs. Southworth, and is considered to be the very best story she has ever written. Upon its dramatization it was received with universal favor and proved one of the phenomenal hits of the American stage. For this play the cast has been largely augmented and it will be staged in a most attractive and elaborate manner. The principal scenes are laid in Virginia and New York, and an excellent opportunity will be afforded James Brophy and Miss Rodgers for the display of their best talent. There will be no advance of prices, and the standing room sign should make its appearance.

Rice and Barton's Rose Hill English Folly Company, a burlesque organization of gigantic proportions, is booked for the Buckingham all next week. Manager Mack has arranged a programme that is beyond criticism and the splendid scenic effects and gorgeous costumes show the work of master hands. The artists are from the pick of vaudeville, and Joseph J. Sullivan, a jolly, rotund comedian, whose Irish wit never fails to bring down the house, heads the list. The curtain raiser, "The Jolly Old Sports," is a three-scene farce-comedy burlesque, strongly produced and abounding with funnysims and complicated situations. The finale "The Naughty Soubrettes," is a picturesque tale of the wanderings of a Willie-boy and his rural uncle through the Tenderloin of New York. Plentifully sprinkled with spice and pretty girls, and ending with that rag time Parisian quadrille "The Zig-Zag," makes one wish that the Rose Hill Company might never leave.

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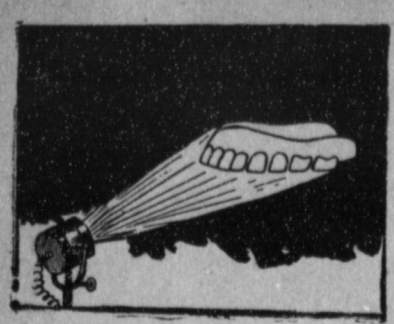
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I.
A torrid sun remorselessly is driving down his heat,
The fire, as of a furnace, grips each callous London street,
And dry and hungry as the grass that wilts in park and square,
Is this poor Irish heart of mine in London's stifling air;
My sighs are speeding homeward, and my fancies build anew
The pleasant scenes that met of old a boy's enchanted view,
With many a fervent blessing my dearest thought overflows
To the bonnie braes of Mourne, where the whin bush* grows.

II.
Ah! rich are London's citizens, and wealth does much abound,
And fortunes here each day are lost, and other fortunes found,
Each inch of ground is colored by the lustre of the gold,
Yet spite of all the heat and wealth my heart is drear and cold,
I would barter all its pleasures, all its riches, all its pride,
For one sweet, salt-laden whisper from old Carlingford's deep tide,
For one hour of buoyant boyhood plucking hazelnuts and sloes,
By the bonnie braes of Mourne, where the whin bush grows.

III.
The coffered wealth of London finds its foil in London's woe,
As great seas that feel the sunshine can wild storm-waves also know;
There is blight as well as bounty in the fruitful harvest sheaf,
And each joy that laughs in London has its counterpart in grief;
Near where living sinews struggle some poor skeleton decays,
And both glow and gloom have fallen on my changeable city days;
But as light as grain of thistledown, I rated all my woes
But the bonnie braes of Mourne, where the whin bush grows.

IV.
Gardens gay with wondrous blossoms in the midst of London stand,
Showing skeptics what rare marvels can be fashioned by God's hand,
Choice exotics, flowers whose fragrant zephyrs, pausing, seek to woo;
Flowers whose vivid, rainbow colors painter's pencil never drew,
Lift their winsome heads. Yet never can the fairest of them all
Steal with love unto my senses, or my being hold in thrall,
Like the simple yellow gorse-bloom that in freedom buds and blows
By the bonnie braes of Mourne, where the whin bush grows.

*The ordinary furze-bush, with its dainty yellow blossom, is known in Ulster as the "whin bush."

CHAFF.

During the month of November the number of marriages in the Indian Territory amounted to six thousand. This among the maidens of the Choctaw tribe alone. The grooms were white men, of good families. The secret of such a boom in the matrimonial market lies in the fact that 1,100 acres of land are to be given as a dowry to every Choctaw lady married before the first of December. If any old maids remain among the Choctaws after this alluring inducement there will be no one to blame but themselves.

Kimberly is not the only place in the world where diamonds are found. Long before the discovery of Kimberly these stones were found in India, Borneo, Brazil and in the Ural mountains. None of these localities afforded any information as to their origin. Kimberly is unique in this particular, for they are not only found here, but they are also formed in the same locality. Diamonds have been found in different parts of the United States. Especially is this true of regions about the great lakes. They have been kept as souvenirs in farm houses for years before being discovered by any one versed in precious stones. That they are carried in the glacial drift after the heavier debris has been deposited to regions farther south is well known to geologists. Since the war between the Boers and the British diamonds have advanced 70 per cent in value.

It may be encouraging to teachers and mothers to remember that many great and good men were considered bad and troublesome as boys. Great men have strong impulses and sturdy natures, and when we consider that children act from impulse and not judgment, we must easily conceive that the child of large nature may be hard to control. No uniform rule can be laid down either in school or home by which children can be governed. Instincts of honor, honesty, order and such as resemble them are found in different degrees in each child, but are more or less common to all. Outside of these virtues no two children are alike, no more than sweetpeas resemble hollyhocks or sunflowers are like roses. The same warm sun and gentle rain develop them all, 'tis true, but the same discipline and similarity of rules will be found incompatible with different forms of child nature. In the East these facts are realized and taken hold of by mothers and teachers, and societies are formed where in these two important factors of child preservation and advancement meet and discuss all matters pertaining to this wonderfully interesting subject. Nothing of the kind seems to exist here. The Dominican nuns either in Boston or Philadelphia have a mothers' meeting once, I believe, every week, or probably two weeks. These educated, refined, up-to-date teachers realize the necessity of working in harmony with the mothers of their pupils, and discuss freely all subjects calculated to improve and uplift

child nature. What a help to mothers, this contact of tact, gentleness and intelligence! The good wrought by such will roll down the ages unto eternity. The Sisters of Mercy are known to have such institutes also in some of the Eastern States. The good done in this manner by these two orders of cloistered teachers is known in its fullest extent to Him alone who watches from the heavenly towers everything good or bad done to these little ones.

Miss Elsa Ruegger, a beautiful Belgian 'cellist, has won renown in astronomy as well as in music. The "harmony of the spheres" is sweeter to the ear of this young violinist than even the divine strains of the divinest of all musical instruments. Any fine night, when not engaged in her chosen profession, she can be found at her telescope tracing the heavenly constellations and otherwise perfecting her already fine understanding of astronomy. Many women have become eminent in astronomy; some even have reached such heights as to be able to predict the time of a comet's appearance in some remote "corner" of the skies. Miss Maria Herschell was of the greatest assistance to her brother, the renowned astronomer, after whom the planet was named, she herself having discovered many of the asteroids.

Winter is the best season for star-gazing. The crisp, cold air makes the sky seem more blue and the stars assume greater brilliancy. The most beautiful of all constellations—Orion—mentioned in the Book of Job, the Pleiades, Gemini with its twin brothers Castor and Pollux, Canis Major, Canis Minor, Betelgeuse in the handle of the big dipper, though this latter can be seen all the year round, yet it seems a better color in winter. Andromeda, Lyra, Cassiopeia and many other distinctly shaped constellations are all easily traced and once learned are hardly ever forgotten. The southern and western parts of the city are best for star-gazing, as hardly a square yard of sky can be seen here in the central part unless one travel to the roof of a building or climb up a church steeple. Students must perforce go East or further North to enjoy the luxury of an observatory.

There is now a new post-office at Nerine, Ky., with a Sister of Loretto as a regularly appointed postmistress. From this chosen spot is issued monthly a pleasing little pamphlet bearing the name Loretto Magazine. It is the work of the Sisters and pupils of the academy near by, and is in every respect a credit to the institution. Many bright, cheery anecdotes are to be found on its pages, and if more generally known it could not but bring many students to this garden spot of old Kentucky.

The complete annihilation, death from starvation of the body and mind, of a brave little woman in the city of New York, not quite two weeks ago, as a possibility that might befall any person alone in a large city, is a fact calculated to make one shudder. A courageous, hard-working, energetic young creature, had she sold for money her claim on heaven she could be yet living, dressed in the splendor of Jezebel. Day after day she carried her manuscript in her hand, tramping the pitiless streets of a modern Babylon, her colorless cheeks begging for food, too proud to stoop to iniquity, starving even as she walked. This true woman, who nursed her sister and husband till death called them away from her, was compelled to die of hunger in the most gorgeous city of America, where millionaires are plentiful and fashions abound. Poor Evelyn Adams!

ANNIE NEVIN CUNNINGHAM.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS.

Branch 25, Catholic Knights of America, nominated officers for the next year at its meeting Monday evening, held in St. John's Hall, Clay and Walnut streets. The election takes place December 18, and a large attendance will be brought out, as the members are always keenly alive to the importance of making the best possible selections.

President William Meehan last week paid the \$2,000 due on the death of the late Maurice A'Hearn. There is no order in this city which pays death claims more promptly than the Catholic Knights, which is reported to be now stronger than ever before in its history.

The various branches in Louisville will install the officers elected for the year 1900 at the January meetings.

QUIET WEDDING.

A quiet but impressive marriage was that solemnized Wednesday morning of last week at the Church of St. Frances of Rome, Clifton, when Mr. James Lee, a prominent stock raiser of Elizabethtown, and Miss Mary Whitehead, of Clifton, were united. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father T. Walter White. The bride was undoubtedly the most popular young lady of that high-toned and exclusive suburb, Clifton, which boasts, and justly so, of many beautiful and accomplished young women. Miss Whitehead is a first cousin of the famous Rev. Dr. Stafford, of Washington, D. C. After the wedding the happy couple left for Washington and were present at the opening of Congress.

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WONDERS

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With the nearing of the holiday season the up-to-date merchant contrives to arrange for his windows and store rooms a display in keeping with the festive season. Where there were previously only commonplace articles of merchandise to set off the windows and counters, there comes with the Christmas tide an array of special holiday offerings that presents a vivid contrast to the everyday exhibits just supplanted.

It is a well known fact that Louisville people are in a far more prosperous condition than for several Christmases just past, and in view of this fact our merchants will vie with each other in providing for their establishments unique and attractive displays of their holiday wares.

One large store of this city in particular is always a sort of Santa Claus headquarters. The children from year to year look forward with joyful anticipation to the time when J. Bacon & Sons, on Market street, between Preston and Jackson, shall announce to the public that their ever popular displays are ready for inspection.

The announcement came Saturday, and in the afternoon hundreds of little girls and boys were crying "to go to Bacon's." Indulgent mothers could not resist, nor did they even try, for it must not be forgotten that grown people love to see Bacon's windows just the same as the little people. The consequence was that early Saturday afternoon the usual crowd had gathered about the well-known "east window," which is a household word all over Louisville for its ingenious Christmas displays. The sidewalks were soon blocked, and it was with great difficulty that the freight handlers unloaded the great wagons, full of Christmas novelties, that were lined up against the curbing.

The famous "east window" this season presents to the astonished eyes of the little one three wonderful jugglers and a tight-rope walker. The latter is a fanciful figure, dressed in pink and blue, who does surprising things on the tight rope. Every now and then the children would clutch mamma's hand, thinking the harlequin was going to fall. But not so. Instead it was just a little trick of his to surprise them.

Then, while a grotesque little Filipino girl plays upon an accordion, and a towse-headed African thrums his banjo, the figure raises his foot, thrusts it through a hoop in his left hand, and then coquettishly waves his red and yellow parasol. While you are wondering how he is going to get out of his position he suddenly solves it for you, retracing his pedal in the same way which it went through at the beginning.

The three jugglers are very captivating themselves. The first, who is as gaudily dressed as the Humpty Dumpty pictures of our childhood, is a magician worth seeing. Some of Bacon's little admirers are talking of inviting Herrmann, the great, to come up and see a "sure enough" prestidigitator, who deftly knocks his own head off with a fan, finds it in a dice box, and with a second wave of his wonderful fan restores it to his shoulders. If Herrmann can beat this, they say, he is a genius, to be sure.

The second juggler is not far behind in astonishing feats. He has a very wise look upon his face all the time, and you can easily see that he knows a lot more than you might at first glance suppose. He does his trick with a big, high hat and a flaming red handkerchief. He smiles as he lays the handkerchief over the hat, and you feel right away that he knows his business. Then, all of a sudden, he lifts the covering, thrusts his hand in the hat and pulls out—a mouse! It is really wonderful, and the children clap their hands in genuine glee. Covering the hat again, the magician smiles pleasantly, and then reaches in and takes out the cutest little rabbit you ever saw.

The third juggler stands at a little table. He wears a comical peaked hat, like a clown in a circus, which he takes off and places over the table. When he lifts the hat you behold a beautiful gold ring lying upon the table. Then he covers the ring and table with the hat for the second time, and when he next lifts it you see a football where the ring lay. For the third time he does his marvelous trick, and lo! there lies on the table a die. Through the entire performance the Filipino maid and the little negro boy play on their respective instruments, just as if they had been used to seeing such things all their lives.

On the inside the display is pretty nearly as much like fairyland as the pantomime in the window. The toy room is more dazzling and attractive than ever before, and the children's delight is proportionately increased. One very strong attraction is a long glass case filled with dolls of all sizes and nationalities. Mechanical toys abound in great profusion, all plainly marked with their price in large figures.

J. Bacon & Sons have long enjoyed an enviable distinction for the ingeniousness of their holiday displays, and the present one will add to their already widespread fame.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

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